

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Robert Bucki et al.  
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For: METHODS OF USING GELSOLIN TO TREAT OR PREVENT  
BACTERIAL SEPSIS (BUCKI)  
Examiner: S. J. Devi  
Art Unit: 1645

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**RESPONSE TO TELEPHONE INTERVIEW SUMMARY**

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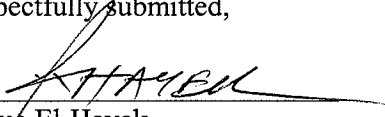
Dear Sir:

On February 19, 2010, Examiner Devi contacted Applicant's representative to discuss the language of pending claim 40. It was not clear to the Examiner whether the claim was intended to be a dependent claim or an independent claim. Examiner Devi requested that Applicant's representative file a supplemental preliminary amendment to clarify claim language. Applicant's representative filed the supplemental preliminary amendment on February 24, 2010.

Applicant believes no fee is due. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 23/2825 under Docket No. B0801.70356US01 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: April 1, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

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